

☒ 2. The inventor(s) of the invention being claimed in this application is(are): PATEL, Arvind D..

☐ 3. This application is being filed by less than all the inventors named in the parent application. In accordance with 37 CFR 1.53(b), the Commissioner is requested to delete the name(s) of the following person or persons who are not inventors of the invention being claimed in this application:

☒ 4. Please cancel in this application claims 19-22 of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. (At least one original independent claim must be retained).

☒ 5. Enclosed is a preliminary amendment adding claims 23-24 to this application. Any additional fees incurred by this amendment are included in the fee at No. 7 below and the fee has been calculated after the cancellation of claims in the application as filed and after amendment of claims by the preliminary amendment.

☒ 6. Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: --

This is a continuation of co-pending application Serial No. 08/862,201 filed 23 May, 1997. *now patent no. 6,218,342.*

☒ 7. Please charge the amount to cover the filing fee as calculated below to Account No. 01-2508 Order No. MIDR:582--1, including the fee for any new claims added by the Preliminary Amendment referred to above in 5.

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Total Claims	20 - 20	= 0	x \$ 18.00	= \$ 0
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